

# The Claresholm Review-Advertiser

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## CORRESPONDENCE

## Conference for Rural Leadership

By Rev. W. E. MacKinnon

Editor, Review-Advertiser:—Your editorials of the past two weeks have been of much interest to farmers. Some of your arguments are good, especially those relating to the need of a better community spirit; the advisability of building up good home towns, etc. If we are to keep the homes together we must have social centres. Without these life on the prairies would become undesirable, and permanent home making would become a lost art. The writer has no time to waste on words, so he will get down to "brass tacks," as the boys say.

The present condition is brought about by a new departure in business methods. A few men in the east use the advantage they would have if they eliminated the wholesalers. By the aid of a large aggregation of capital, they went into the world's markets and purchased for spot cash from the manufacturers, with the intention of selling direct to the consumer. Being able to buy in large quantities and pay cash, they got all the discounts and lowest prices. In certain lines they became manufacturers themselves.

On the other hand, our country merchants buy from the old established wholesale firms, they buy in small lots and have to ask for credit. The vast difference between the two systems becomes apparent at once and at the same time furnishes us with a few explanations as to why the catalogue is popular with the farmer and a large percentage of town people as well.

Facts are stubborn things to deal with, and our business men must just as well face the music now as later. They cannot, and will not, beat the catalogue house as long as they carry the old time wholesaler on their backs. Not all the assistance given by your able pen will be able to overcome the incentive to buy in the cheapest market and sell in the dearest. As long as we live on the principle of "every man for himself," the buyer will seek the cheapest market.

You blame the users of catalogue for the present condition of things in Claresholm, while we farmers blame the business men for not changing their methods. Let them pool their capital and buy from the manufacturers for cash, getting all the usual discounts, and then they will be in a position to put every catalogue house in Canada out of business and trouble the population of our towns. Water will flow down hill and money will flow into the cheapest markets in spite of all you can do. You ask the farmer to forgo the advantages of the cheapest market for the sake of the town. We say to the business men "Go to and work out your own salvation," by forming a union like the farmers have, pool your capital like sensible men to meet new business conditions and then you will get the business by straight business methods.

FARMER

Stately, Aug. 12, 1916.

To the Editor, Review-Advertiser:

In connection with the letter from the Secretary of the Claresholm Fair re charges for automobiles the gentleman leading to the infirmary, I will say his statement is absolutely incorrect as far as I am concerned. The ticket taker at the outside gate would not admit us in our car, until a ticket was produced. After trying for some time to get a place where the sports could be seen from the car, we noticed several cars driving across the track to the infirmary. We then drove up to the gate, which was closed, and the men at the gate informed us we wanted to cross to the infirmary, we would have to pay fifty cents. Not a word was mentioned about producing the ticket we got at the gate.

I admit the conference or stipend, try, however, as I never felt quite so at home in my life as I did that afternoon. However, never having been at one of your exhibitions before, how was I to know but what there might be something worth while seeing, especially when you consider the admission charges.

One would almost infer from the Secretary's letter, that automobiles would be admitted free at both gates, if the occupants intended to pay.

S. F. LITTLE.

## S. S. Picnic

The S. S. picnic last Tuesday was just what everybody desired. Long before 10 o'clock the children began to gather at the church. The weather was ideal, and cars, of which were plenty, laden with young and old, started right on the day for the Shapleys ranch. No better spot can be found within easy distance from Claresholm for such a purpose. Swings were hung from the trees, and tables erected in short time, and while the children paddled and bathed in the creek a sumptuous meal was prepared for them by the ladies present.

The races and sports which took place in the afternoon created a lot of amusement. The pillow fight, while sitting on a rail, was perhaps the most amusing sport of the day. Eric Swanson and Fred Chambers came out victorious in the boys' fight. In the men's fight Mr. McKinney was severely handled by J. E. Atkinson and went down, under the terrific blows of his opponent. The ladies refused to mount the rail, and consequently what might have been the most delightful and successful Sunday School treats ever held.

The prize winners in the children's races were as follows: Three legged race, girls, Mary Edmund, Annie Foss, Boys 5 to 7, John Edmund, Roy Dahlin.

Girls 8 to 10, Jean Laidlaw, Margaret Boyd.

Boys 8 to 10, Charley Sharples, Edgar Nelson.

Girls 11 to 13, Annie Foss, Mary Edmund.

Solo, bicycle race, girls, Muriel Peck, Violet Bouffier.

Run race, boys, Claude Nelson, John Edmund.

Egg race, Spencer Murray, Lillie Peck.

Cat ladder race, Mrs. Geo. Ring, Ross.

THANKS

The Sunday School committee wishes to thank Mrs. Sharples for the use of the grounds, which helped to make the picnic so enjoyable. Also to desire to thank the car owners who so kindly loaned their cars and their service.

ESTRAY

Strayed on to the premises of the undersigned one long weight about 75 lbs. Color, mottled, white and black.

2nd G. FLITTON.

## Meadow Creek

Mrs. James Bending left for England on Friday to join her husband who is a Private in the 13th.

Everyone has been trying to get their hay crops in, but the wet weather has hindered greatly.

J. J. Vance has 80 acres of wheat ready to cut. It is the earliest crop in the district. Mr. Vance only last Tuesday finished loading a car of wheat (1000 bushels). It graded 1 northern and is now worth \$1.75 a bushel at Fort William.

Thistles are numerous at different places along the creek, and year after year they are left to rot and seed and to cover the whole country. We hope that those who own them will see that they are cut this year. Unless something is done the farms in Meadow Creek will soon be useless.

What a fine read there is to Claresholm! There is a bad mud hole about every mile, and it requires considerable courage to attempt the trip.

Mrs. R. G. Bassitt is visiting in Meadow Creek for a short time.

Frank Hobbs has been paying a visit to this district recently. There are reports of some special attraction here. He, however, claims he knows nothing of it, although his brother insists that there is.

Miss Anel De Forest opened school at Schaefer Monday last.

Miss C. Vance won the bucking contest at the Meadow Creek exhibition, and also the first race for the championship of Alberta.

Foot racing on Sunday is not just the thing, but when the ladies indulge in it we of course keep mum.

Mr. C. Crawford has moved his family to town where they will have the benefit of the town school.

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**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2nd**

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The whole of Section Thirtynine (39), in Township Eleven (11), Range Twenty-eight (28), W. of 4th M., containing six hundred and forty (640) acres, more or less, excepting out of the southeast quarter two and 1/4 (12 1/4) acres, more or less, and out of the northwest quarter two and 1/4 (12 1/4) acres, more or less, all for a Roadway as more fully particularly described in C.T. No. S.N. 129.

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Approved: A. G. KINARD,  
Deputy Registrar.

**NOTICE**

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Irrigation Act the undersigned has filed a necessary memorial and plans required by sections 11 and 15 of the said Act with the Commissioner of Irrigation at Calgary, Alta.

The applicant applies for the right to divert sufficient cubic feet of water per second from THOUT CREEK at a point on the Northeast quarter of Section 24, Township 28, Range 20, W. of 4th M., for the purpose of irrigation purposes, and for the purpose of controlling the necessary works, as shown by the memorial and plans filed, to enable the water so diverted to be used for the said irrigation purposes on the southeast quarter of said section 24. The said Northeast quarter of Section 24 is also affected by right of way of the proposed works.

Dated at Claresholm, Alta., this 21st day of July, 1916.

A. KING, Applicant.

**A Bureau of Social Research**

A Bureau of Social Research has been organized by the governments of the three prairie provinces. The purpose of the organization is to make a practical study of all social problems affecting the community. Each of the provinces will have an advisory council, to consist of one cabinet minister and five other members.

When such of these councils have been organized, two representatives from each will form an inter-provincial council which will have charge of the general policy of the bureau. Hon. J.R. Boyle is the cabinet minister chosen as head of the Alberta council. An investigation of the foreign settlement is to commence at once, and legislation designed to better the conditions of social life of the rural districts will be prepared and presented to the legislatures.

The Bureau of Social Research has long been needed, and we believe will be productive of much good. The work of the organization for the first two years will be chiefly in gathering information and special investigations.

## Claresholm Review-Advertiser Mary Pickford

An Independent Weekly Newspaper  
ROBT. K. PECK - Editor

Friday, August 25, 1916

EDITORIAL NOTES

The letter of Farmer which we publish in this issue of the Review-Advertiser, puts very clearly the case of the out-of-town buyer. Undoubtedly the mail order houses have served a purpose, and their success is due as much to their extensive methods of advertising as to the quality or cheapness of their goods. They have cut the prices on some lines of goods that they manufacture themselves, and at the result some of the local merchants have adjusted their prices to meet the competition. We have no doubts as to the truth of the statement that the mail order houses can undersell the local merchant. On the other hand we believe that the local merchant who is content with a fair profit can undersell the mail order firm every time if he wishes to do so. The cost of doing business in the catalogue companies is enormous. The head officials get salaries ranging from \$200 to \$250,000. Their beautifully illuminated catalogue costs about one cent for every dollar worth of business done. The cost of the immense office staff, insurance, taxes and other numerous expenses will run the operating cost up to 25 per cent, and yet in spite of all this, one of the two big mail order firms of Canada declared last year a dividend of fifty per cent on its capital stock of forty millions.

The consumers often fail to realize just what it costs to do business. A few years ago the local U.F.A. asked its secretary to buy in all kinds of produce and sell to the farmers at 5 per cent above the invoice cost of the goods. Out of that 5 per cent he was expected to pay insurance, interest, rent, salaries, and other expenses. His capital invested, store and other rent and his own salary. That he came very nearly ruining himself financially in attempting to carry out his instructions might have been expected. It is ignorance of the cost of doing business that has ruined so many farmers and consumers co-operative associations. One of our local merchants estimates his cost of doing business at 10 per cent. Whether this is a good average or not I am not prepared to say. I know that in some lines of business it runs as high as 25 and 30 per cent. But the small cost to the local merchant should put him in a position to compete easily with the larger firm.

The suggestion of our correspondent, that the merchants get together is a good one. Whether they can gain anything by pooling their capital is a question. That they can gain by getting together and discussing ways and means of meeting the problem that they are up against is certain. In Manitoba they have already effected an organization, and every town should have an organization of business men to look after the interests that are so important to them, and to the town in which they live. One thing, however, is certain, that the business interests will have to compete with outside interests both in price, and in letting the public know that they are alive and have something to sell. Our readers will notice that some of our merchants are already doing this, and we hope that all of them will unite in bringing about a better understanding between the consumers and business men of our district.

To our readers we would suggest that they cut out the mail order firms this fall and try our advertisers, and let us know if they find their own tract to meet outside competition.

**Charley's Aunt**

How many fares have lived and died since "Charley's Aunt" first made its initial bow to the English stage? Hundreds. How many comedies have survived nearly three decades and still retain the strong appeal of this wonderfully constructed play? None. The reason is quite obvious—"Charley's Aunt" was written not for decades but for all time. In a hundred years from now, this marvelous farce with its three tremendous acts of infectious comedy will still be welcomed by all who love clean fun and keen humor. Sheridan's comedies, and some written later are great still shining brightly in certain literary circles, but have they the broad appeal of "Charley's Aunt" from Brazil where the note comes from? The announcement that a clever company will interpret this splendid farce at the Opera House, on Sept. 2, will be received with general satisfaction by Claresholm theatre goers.

## as "Miss Nell"

In "Miss Nell," by George Hazelton, Jr., the famous drama of the daring days of gay King Charles II, Mary Pickford plays the title role of pretty Nell Owen, the whimsical, impulsive and piquant little favorite of the public and the monarch of England, whose bravery and wit save her royal lover from treachery at home and abroad and free him at the same time from the toils of a designing woman, who tries to steal his heart from Nell as well as to wrest his kingdom from him to give to France.

It is Louise, Duchess of Portsmouth, who undertakes this double plot, but little Nell Owen, the actress, cleverly runs through the plans of the step-duchess and sets to work to protect her loved king. After anguering and baffling Louise in score of counterplots, she escapes the clutches of certain papers which are to place England in the hands of France if they reach their destination. This Nell determines shall never be, and in the guise of a young blonde of fastidious taste, the confidence of Louise, and is herself given the documents to deliver. Need less to say, the papers are never delivered, except to the king of England, together with a missive from Louise which, intended for France's monarch, plainly reveals her duplicity. Now Nell further outwits the wiles of her woman and other malicious and envious enemies of her love and happiness, and what happens to her royal lover's heart and trust, is dramatically developed in this dazzling romance. Miss Pickford lends a zest and vivid reality to "Miss Nell," of which it was said, "England will be worse than a Puritan funeral without her."

At the Rex theatre Friday and Saturday.

**The Ordinance Respecting**

**Hire Receipts, Etc.**

At the last session of the Legislature an amendment was made to the Ordinance respecting Hire Receipts and Conditional sales providing that in order to preserve the rights contained therein, a renewal statement of the amount still due for principal and interest and of all payments made on account of lien notes and hire receipts shall be filed within 30 days of the expiration of two years from the first filing, and thereafter renewals shall be filed within 30 days of the expiration of one year from the day of the former filing. Where the first filing was made two years or more before passing of the amendment the renewal shall be filed within six months of the date of the amendment.

The amendment was passed on the 11th day of April, 1916, so that the time for registering renewals of lien notes and hire receipts originally filed on or before the 11th day of April last will expire on the 11th day of October next.

Renewals must have an affidavit attached setting forth that the statement is true and that the sale or bailment writing is not kept for no other purpose or to defraud, delay, or prejudice creditors, and that the party who the property is situated at the time of the making of the statement. Parties holding lien notes or hire receipts who do not file renewal statements as required, lose their lien on the goods or chattels.

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Scene from "Charley's Aunt," at Opera House, Sat. Sept. 2





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Runabout	475.00
Touring Car	495.00
Coupelet	695.00
Town Car	780.00
Sedan	890.00

Prices f.o.b. Ford Ontario

These prices are positively guaranteed against any reduction before Aug. 1, 1917, but there is no guarantee against an advance in price at any time.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
OTTAWA.

## Claresholm Local News

Miss Shank spent a few days in Claresholm this week.

Miss J. McKinney returned from Ottawa on Monday evening.

Mrs. Boese and family returned from Banff on Sunday night.

Frank Murray commenced harvesting on Monday.

The representative of the McKendree Seed Co. was in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Watson and family, of Coal Creek, B.C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Wylie.

Plumkett & Savage Fruit Co. of Calgary unloaded a car of fruit here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Shanks have returned from their holiday trip.

Jack Smith, formerly owner of the feed mill, is republishing the Alberta Grain Elevator.

D.P. Williams returned to town on Tuesday after spending two months in B. C. and Montana buying cattle.

Mr. D. Remage has again taken over the Hotel Mead Market, and will be found at his old stand.

Mr. W. W. Wood has enlisted in the Foresters Battalion and will be leaving in a few days for overseas service.

J. P. Hagerman was down from Regina on Wednesday. He shipped a car load of cattle to his newly acquired ranch.

Mrs. Wannamaker and Mr. Chas. Murray, of Carmanagay, have both taken positions on the Edmonton school staff.

Mr. Walter Haines, pitcher for the Staveley ball team, is in town on Tuesday. He expects to beat the Nanton team at the big game this week.

There will be no service at the Roman Catholic church next Sunday, in the 4th of September there will be two masses, at 9 a.m. and at 10.30 a.m.

Mr. Peterson, formerly pastor of Star Line Methodist church, is in town this week. He has been ordered for his health sake to work in the harvest fields.

The Claresholm school has broken all records in passing pupils at the departmental examinations, and doubtless stands first in the province.

From Grade VIII to XI inclusive, there was only one failure and that was in Grade IX. The principal, Mr. J. A. Davidson and his staff, deserve to be congratulated on the excellent results achieved.

The Queens Hotel, of Calgary, is advertising in the Review Advertiser this week. It is now being operated by B. A. Atkinson, formerly manager of the Hotel Alexandra.

The Queens has always been a stopping place for the people from this district while visiting the city, and they can rest assured that the high standard that has prevailed in the past will be maintained in the future.

Mr. Eric Moffatt received an interesting letter from Major James, this week. He reports that the 18th no longer exists. The last 500 enlisted with the follow-up officers: James, Adams, Murray, Kille, Harvey and Dr. Steeves are attached to the famous Princess Patricia's B Squadron with the Strathcona Horse. A and E Squadrons are with the Fort Garry and the Royal Canadian Dragoons.

A meeting of the trustees of the Star Line school was held on Wednesday. It was decided to build an addition to the present building to make provision for a second teacher. A district such as the Star Line is, should have a consolidated school, and could have, if the proper steps were taken to secure one. The only obstacle is the ignorance of the ratepayers of the advantages to be gained by consolidation.

J. R. Watt's "Don Pearl" while not successful in any of the races of the western Canada circuit owing to there being no other three year old, and the impossibility of getting a race unless against old experienced horses, gained notice in the show ring as follows: 2nd at Calgary, 2nd and reserve champion at Edmonton, and 1st at Brandon, Regina and Saskatoon. The mare showed she had lots of speed and should win many races in the future.

Rev. H. E. Gordon, of High River, was visiting in town on Tuesday last.

Mr. J. McCandless, of Okotoks, has taken a position in J. M. Soly's store.

F. E. Harrey is in Calgary on business.

Mr. McRoss was a visitor to Calgary, Sunday.

The mother and sister of Mrs. Tucker are visiting in town.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Atkinson, last week, a girl—Weight 10 lbs.

The evening service in the Presbyterian and Methodist churches will commence next Sunday at 7 o'clock.

W. R. Lindsay returned to town Tuesday after spending several days in Calgary.

Mr. M. Billard has been on the sick list again, and went to Calgary on Monday to consult his doctor.

Mr. Walton received one of Fred Horsell's shockers, yesterday, and will try it out on his farm.

Dr. Tupper, of the Blood Reserve, is now looking after his business interests.

G. Wales and family arrived on Monday night to take up their residence here.

Do you know how to preserve fruit without sugar? J. E. Wylie, grocery, will give you the information free.

Mr. Robert Hotchkiss, of Detroit, brother of Mr. Frank Murray, spent a few days in Claresholm last week.

Mrs. J. E. Moffatt and son, Ross, and Miss Mabel McR returned to town Monday night after spending two days in Banff.

Sugar is up in price but it only costs 15 cents per quart of fruit more than it did a year ago. Sugar or no sugar you can't afford to do without fruit.

On Saturday afternoon at 1.30, in Moffatt's warehouse, opposite Willson's hotel, A. E. Stange, the auctioneer, will dispose of a driving mare, buggy, stove, fence, etc.

We understand that at the extraordinary general meeting of the Claresholm Oil Co. Ltd. held on Monday, August 21st, it was resolved to keep up the payments of rental on the lease of one half section and relinquish the remaining leases to the government.

Those who attended the week end performance of the Rex Theatre enjoyed a hearty laugh. "Are you a Mason" was put on the screen, and it was heartily enjoyed by the audience. The popular Charlie Chaplin never created more amusement in one evening than did this performance. It was well worth going to see.

They Don't Like Prohibition

Early this month the annual meeting of the Hudson Bay Co. was held in London. In speaking of the prohibition laws that had come into force in Canada, the chairman said, that the Company had been hard hit, that the laws were drastic and detrimental to the Company's interests, that having been advised that their rights were being infringed upon, that the Company would take the necessary means to protect their interests.

Evidently the English directors of the Company do not understand the temper of the Canadian people. If they attempt to foist upon the country a business that the people have almost unanimously voted out of the country, the people could probably estimate by a complete loss of the Company's stores. It would do some little time in the country that has cherished them. They would at least learn the best way to deal with the drink curse which is "England's worst enemy." Here we are learning to value human life and happiness before dividends. A company that has for over a century impoverished the people of Labrador and Hudson Bay district, because they were forced from circumstances and isolation to deal exclusively with them, deserve no consideration from the Canadian people. There are families in Labrador who, if they had been paid fair prices for their furs and fish would have been rolling in wealth, but for generations the books of the company show them heavily in debt, and there is little hope that they will ever be

free. The Hudson Bay Co. has always put profits before other considerations. But the people of Canada are in a different position to the people of Labrador and the fur north. The Hudson Bay Company can decide as it pleases at its annual meeting in London, but Canada is not going to tolerate any more the curse of the drink traffic in its midst.

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For price of Winter Rye, grown on summerfall land, white or plump C. S. Noble, Nobleford, or rural line, Letbridge. 29 3p

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28 h.p. American Abel Engine.

New Minneapolis Separator 40 x 62.

Complete set of Cockshutt Engine Pumps, 10 bottom.

All in first class condition. Will trade at a sacrifice. Good terms. Will trade for Horses, Cattle or Land.

Apply JOHN SMEDSTAD, 25-1 Claresholm.

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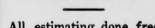
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## Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations

The sole head of a family, or any male over 21 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land, and in Manitoba, a half section, and in the Northwest Territories, a full section, subject to certain conditions. A homestead must be made within six months of the date of the survey, and the homestead must be improved within a certain period. A homestead may be made in any Dominion Land Agency that has been surveyed, on certain conditions.

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WE wish to call your attention to our **SATURDAY SPECIAL SALES**. Commencing **Saturday, Aug. 26th**, we will offer Special lines at **greatly reduced prices**. The lines we will offer will be in ready demand, and will be on display in our windows on Saturday only. If you are out to save money you will save it on the lines we have to offer.

For our opening Saturday Special, we will offer:—

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We have these in all Colors, Sizes and Shapes. If you want a **HAT** don't forget the date—**Saturday, Aug. 26, at**

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The British Parliament adjourned yesterday. There is a general feeling of confidence in Britain that all is going well at the front.

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**R. A. ELGIN, - Granum**

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## Granum News

Mrs. West's father, of Didsbury, is visiting her.

Katherine Matheson spent Sunday in town with Miss Isabelle Richards.

Wm. Furman was a visitor in Granum on Monday and Tuesday.

Allice and Phoebe Brown were visitors in Calgary last week.

Mr. West and family returned from their holiday last Monday night.

Miss Della Collins is spending a few days with Mrs. H. B. Tilden.

Mrs. P. Vandercoot is spending a few days in Banff.

E. B. Smith commenced cutting his seventeen hundred acres on Tuesday.

A very enjoyable dance was held at Woodhouse on Monday night last. Quite a few Granumites were there.

Willard McKinney and Frank Brown, of Claresholm, were in Granum for the week end.

Mr. J. A. Ellis has rented his farm, three miles east of Granum and will move to his ranch in the hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leppard are moving to Cowley, Alta. Mr. Leppard will have charge of an elevator there.

A large crowd enjoyed a dance at Mrs. McFaul's country home on Monday evening.

Mrs. Eva Moffatt was a week end visitor with her sister, Mrs. H. B. Tilden.

Mrs. D. M. Lyden and son were in Mucedol for a couple of days last week.

Miss Eva Moffatt, of Claresholm, lectured us with a very sweet solo at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Towner returned from the States on Tuesday morning last. They will make their home in Granum.

On Monday morning last Granum streets were lined with Rabbit boys who are here to help with the harvest in this district.

The list of prize winners at the Granum Fair has been received, and will be published in our next issue. It came a little too late for this week.

A most enjoyable time was spent at the hotel held in the Bank of Commerce parlors on Saturday evening. The event was a surprise given for a soldier boy.

The Women's Institute meeting was held at the town hall, on Wednesday 16th. There were some very interesting papers read, and the meeting was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Paul Clark returned from the Calgary hospital on Monday night where he underwent a very serious operation some two months ago. Mr. Clark looks well considering what he has gone through, and we are pleased to see him about again.

The Red Cross girls have been busy selling tickets for the Food car. A ticket now will entitle you to admission to the Red Cross Dance to be held on Monday, Aug. 28th. Hunt up the Red Cross angels and get a ticket, only \$2. Your ticket may be the lucky one.

## Stavely News

Mr. Huston is home visiting for a few days.

Mrs. Carl Fox spent last Wednesday visiting Mrs. Lebow.

Mrs. Murray and family returned last Saturday from Lomond.

Pat Wade went to Calgary on Wednesday evening.

Mark Wender is expected from Calgary this week to harvest his crop.

Frank Reever is still away on his holiday trip. Mrs. Reever is said to be visiting with friends in Vancouver.

John Wilson, who used to work at Braden's garage, has taken a position with W. Lebow.

Mr. Russell of the Bank of Commerce staff, has rented the house vacated by Ed Severson.

Mr. and Mrs. Costine arrived home last Monday and have taken up their residence at the Bremer house.

Mr. J. F. Faw received a car load of Massey Harris binders from Toronto on Wednesday.

The Grain around Stavely is ripening fast and harvest will be general next week.

The Quarterly Official Board of the Methodist church was held in Stavely on Tuesday last.

The Ladies Aid was entertained last week at the home of Mrs. Gus Malchuk.

Private Felix Randall who used to be in business here is back for a month, and is working in Overalls barber shop.

An epidemic of crime has recently struck Stavely. Some inhuman person has been setting out poison, with the result that several valuable dogs have been killed.

A civic holiday was proclaimed by the town council for last Thursday afternoon to enable the business men to attend the big base ball match. Everybody was well satisfied with the action of the council.

Mr. James Wall took a trip to Calgary last Friday, chiefly to try out his new Hubberlin suit. It looks quite smart and becoming. Keep your eyes open girls, there'll be some thing doing soon.

At the meeting of the Stavely Agricultural Society, recent, the committee expressed its satisfaction at the able management of the booth during the Fair by Messrs. Jones & Wilson. About \$40 was the sum in, which acted a neat profit for the association.

Mr. Finney's valuable dog paid the penalty of being too vicious, and was shot a few days ago. It was a noble looking animal, but dog life is of little consequence compared with human life, and so he had to go. Several persons have recently been more or less injured by him. The dog has never been quite right since he was on exhibition at the Calgary Fair.

Our attention has been called to an error in the prize list, last week. In section 29 Mrs. E. A. Malchuk won the following prizes: 1st, 1 doz. baking powder biscuits; 2nd, lemon pie; 1st, layer cake, light; 1st, fruit cake, icing; 1st, Raisin Bread special. 1st and 2nd was divided between Mrs. Simford and Mrs. E. A. Malchuk. We will be pleased to make any other corrections if our attention is called to them.

Some of our sins are due to "force of habit" and some habits are very bad. One of our citizens has got the habit of chopping off roosters' heads, so that if a rooster comes near him, it is almost sure to lose its head. It wouldn't matter if it was only his own roosters that were in danger, but recently one of the neighbors lost a valuable bird and found it had been decapitated by his absent minded friend. It is time for an investigation. Mr. J. F. Rae has been suggested as private detective to follow up the clues and bring the guilty ones to justice.

**Notice to Holders of Lien Notes and Hire Receipts**

The attention of the public is directed to the statements made last session to the Creditors respecting the Hire Receipts and Conditional Sales, whereby in order to preserve the rights contained in Lien Notes and Hire Receipts, conditional statements have to be filed in accordance with the provisions of said statements.

**JOHN D. HUNT,**  
Chief Executive Council.

**Dr. G. A. Pollard**  
(of Banff)

Will be in Granum on **TUESDAY, September 5th**

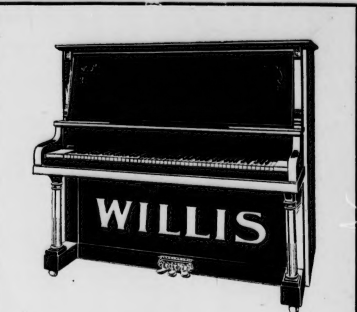
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"The Veterinarian" was written by Charles J. Korinek, V.S., ex-veterinarian of Oregon, and is in plain language that a layman can understand. It is an invaluable book for all breeders of domestic animals to own. We are giving this splendid book and the Claresholm Review-Advertiser for one year for only \$2.00. Do not miss this chance. The two for less money than the book cost. All arrears must be paid up. We have only been able to secure a limited number, so be quick.

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